SENATE RESOLUTION 156 By Kurita

A RESOLUTION To honor and recognize Roman Seth Hankins, 2002 Salutatorian of Montgomery Central High School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Roman Seth Hankins is one such exceptional student who was recently named Salutatorian of the 2002 graduating class at Montgomery Central High School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Roman Hankins has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, during his remarkable high school career, Roman has earned an outstanding grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Roman Hankins has received numerous honors during his high school career, including recognition as a member of the National Honor Society, the Key Club, and as a recipient of the Hugh O'Brian Leadership Award; and

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WHEREAS, he has been selected "Most Likely to Succeed" by his peers, in addition to his receipt of the I Dare You Leadership Award; and

WHEREAS, a tremendously gifted individual, Roman has been a member of Future Farmers of America, serving the organization with probity as Secretary and President and as an attendee of the FFA State Convention; and

WHEREAS, during his illustrious tenure as a student at MCHS, he was a member of the school's Jazz Band, the Honor Choir, the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and Interact; and

WHEREAS, he attended the National Leadership Forum, the National Youth Leadership Conference, in addition to being named a Boy's State alternate; and

WHEREAS, Roman's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for his family, his school, and his community; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Hankins' display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for his future success in college and throughout his life; and

WHEREAS, his dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby honor Mr. Roman Seth Hankins, 2002 Salutatorian of Montgomery Central High School, on his impressive academic achievement and extend to him our best wishes for much happiness and every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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